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In re Application of :
Ralf Reimelt et al. :
Application No. 09/899,502 :
Filed: July 6, 2001 :
Title: APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING :
AND/OR MONITORING THE FILLING LEVEL :
OF A PRODUCT IN A CONTAINER :
: CORRECTED DECISION ON :
PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.182 :
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On January 14, 2004, a petition was filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.182, requesting that 37 C.F.R. §1.193(b)(1) be waived so that an untimely reply brief to the Examiner's Answer and a request for an oral hearing can be entered.

A decision was mailed September 2, 2004, which dismissed the petition, and set forth "neither the Examiner's Answer nor the request for an oral hearing have been entered."

This was a typographical error, in that the decision should have set forth that neither the reply brief to the Examiner's Answer nor the request for an oral hearing have been entered.

As such, this portion of the previous decision is hereby **VACATED**. The petition remains **DISMISSED**, and neither of these two submissions will be entered.

The Office regrets this mistake.

After this decision is mailed, the application will be forwarded the Board for Patent Appeals and Interferences for further processing.

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